

DICTATORS.

Ben Johnson and His Gang Are Trying To Run the Earth and Everything on It.

A Revenue Man in the Louisville District Must Be for Montgomery

OR LOSE HIS JOB.

We have had occasion during the present race for Congress to allude to the fact that it appeared that the Collector's office at Louisville was undertaking to control the elections through its employees, all over the Fifth Internal Revenue District. That it was a violation of law and a violation of good morals, and that it should be resented by the people. Because Mr. Montgomery gave his personal influence to secure the office of Collector for Mr. Johnson, it is no reason why he should make a machine of his office and its employees to elect Montgomery. Mr. Montgomery nominates the postmasters in his district and the Internal Revenue Collector names his subordinates, the two amounting to hundreds, located at the most serviceable points during an election and their whole force thrown in favor of any individual in an election is a tremendous power by which the ins could defy the people and prevent rotation in office. Add to this the promises of place in the future for political services in behalf of the candidate of these officials, and active election work required of those already appointed, and we have an engine of demoralization that is a menace to Democratic government and good morals. The postmasters all over the district are for Montgomery and they ought to be. Mr. Montgomery has showed that he considered their appointment a perquisite that attaches to his office and one in which the people have no right to dictate. He appointed his friends and they properly remain his friends. But there is no reason why every revenue man in the district should be for Montgomery and tearing his shirt for him, unless the head of the department has solidified him. The balance of the people who are under no obligations to the revenue department are reasonably divided, why is there not the same division among the storekeepers, gangers, etc., and why are they out scouring the country in the interest of Montgomery? We see the regulars laid off in the middle of the month (a thing unheard of before) and officials put in their places, the regulars taking to the woods immediately for Montgomery, and the specials flopping over to him with their kin as far as they can control them. Mr. Cleveland, when he was first president, called this offensive partisanship and a violation of civil service rules, endangering the perpetuity of Democratic government, and he lopped off the heads of those engaged therein. It is a most dangerous effort to debauch the ballot. This combination of Mr. Montgomery and Mr. Johnson to dictate to the Democratic party whom they shall nominate as candidates should be resented by the people as a wholesale debauching through public patronage.

We do not mean to say that any man in the revenue service has "sold his birthright for a mess of pottage" but we mean to say that the unanimity of their sentiments for Mr. Montgomery in indicative of political organization in the revenue service not contemplated by the civil service rules or promissive of Democratic success, and those who abandon their official duties to go out electioneering are flagrantly violating the laws of the land and of good morals, and cannot complain if they are repudiated by the people in the future.

The Internal Revenue Collector's office wants to run the earth as is shown by the following extract from the Louisville Evening Times of the 21st inst.

"Mr. Atherton's organ serves notice on the postmaster at Louisville that he must keep his hands off the Congressional contest in this district. A like warning to the Collector of Internal Revenue, both as to the contest in this and the Fourth Congressional district, might be conducive to civil service reform, which, as everybody knows, is the sole point at which the Mugwump Dickey Bird is driving."—Marion Falcon.

SAMPLE.

Rev. W. B. Sneed filled his regular appointment Saturday.

Misses Lena and Gertie Brown and Miss Ella Gibson were the guests of Miss Nellie Grant one day last week.

Miss Muriel Harden, of Owensboro, is visiting relatives and friends in this place.

Miss Annie Adkinson, of Louisville, is visiting the Misses Miller.

Miss Nellie Grant was the guest of Miss Lena Brown last Saturday.

Mrs. Jack Mattingly, who has been visiting her mother, returned home last Saturday morning.

Mrs. Barney Gilliland is the guest of Mrs. Jack Mattingly.

Mr. and Mrs. Vester Brumfield, of Haverhill, are the guests of their mother, Mrs. Nelson Jolly, who is quite ill with bilious fever.

Misses Ida Jarrett and Lucy McLaughlin were the guests of Misses Ollie and Laura McCoy, last Sunday.

Base Ball Notes.

The Fountain Field club made a very unwise move in accepting a challenge to play Preston at Payneville the 21st ult. Some of their best players were off at Elizabethtown attending a game between the Elizabethtown's and Meade county club, the latter of which they had become members, "taking the pledge" at Ekron the 14.

But our boys always eager for fun and practice mustered up the required number by enrolling "tender feet" whose hands were as soft as elder-down, and whose courage would rise and fall with the velocity of the ball, (falling when they would see a red hot ball coming at 'em, and rising when it had passed safely by) put on a bold front and stood before the galaxy selected from three clubs, namely, Preston, Union Star and Moore's ville. Fountain Fields made a splendid start, but Gabe Board, pitcher, got struck not by a ball, but by "some one" outside of the game and retired to the field where he would have more time to feast his eager eyes. He complained of being sick—all out of whack, the symptoms were such as to justify me in diagnosing the case as above.

He pitched three innings and when he left the box the score stood 3 to 5 in favor of Fountain Fields.

When Gabe retired from the box it seemed as if an Achilles had withdrawn his powers, luck took its flight, Henry Shacklett taking his place in the box, pitched one inning but being "off his feed" and in no condition for work, retired while the score stood 5 to 14 (so I have been told by one of the Fountain Fields, but I was under the impression that it was 9 to 12) in favor of Preston who steadily gained until the close of the game when the score stood as follows, Fountain Fields, 16; Preston, 33.

The game was highly interesting from start to finish. Both sides composed of nice young men, no bickering, all seemed to enjoy themselves and to know how to make spectators feel at ease.

SHROCK.

Origion of the Dollar-Mark—Five Theories.

Below are given five theories of the origin of the dollar-mark (\$), they being selected from about twenty seemingly plausible solutions;

1. That it is a combination of "U. S." in the initials of the United States.
2. That it is a modification of the figure 8, the dollar being formerly called a "piece of eight."
3. That it is derived from a representation of the pillars of Hercules, consisting of two needle-like towers or pillars connected with a scroll. The old Spanish coins marked with the pillar device were frequently referred to as "pillar dollars."
4. That it is a combination of "H. S." the ancient Roman mark of money unit.
5. That it is a combination of P and S, from peso duro, signifying "hard dollar." In Spanish accounts, peso is contracted by writing the S over the P, and placing it after the sum.

According to one writer, the symbol of the dollar is a monogram of the letters "v," "s" and "j," the dollar being originally a "thaler," coined in the valley of Sankt Joachim, Bohemia, and known as "Joachims thaler," and the monogram the initials of the words, "Valley Sankt Joachim."

A writer in giving his opinion of "Reason No. 3," as given above, says:

"The American symbol for dollar is taken from the Spanish dollar, and the origin of the sign, of course, must be looked for in associations of Spanish coins. On the reverse of the Spanish dollar is a representation of the pillars of Hercules, and around each pillar is a scroll with the inscription 'plus ultra.' This device, in course of time, has degenerated into the sign which at present stands for American as well as Spanish dollars. The scroll around the pillars represents the two serpents sent by Juno to destroy Hercules in his cradle, in mythologic lore."—St. Louis Republic.

HITE'S RUN

Success to the News. A very pleasant rain fell here Friday. A soaking rain came in time to redeem gardens, pastures and crops.

Mr. Joe and Bettie Hawkins visited Miss Cordelia Cashman Saturday night. Mr. Chitts Royalty got our school this winter, Miss Rosa Oulze, assistant teacher.

Miss Zoe Johnson was on the sick list last week but is somewhat better at this writing.

Rev. I. C. Argerbright filled his regular appointment here, Sunday with, quite a crowd present.

The moonlight picnic at Mr. Abe Ricketts Friday night was quite a success. Good order kept. A large crowd attended. Plenty of refreshments on the ground. Managers, Abe Ricketts, L. V. Chapin and Charlie Hawkins. Good music by Furrow's string band.

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THREE CHEERS!

For the Breckenridge County Boy and the Brave Men Who Are Standing by Him.

Eight Counties Are Safely Conceded to Murray by a Disinterested Observer.

HURRAH FOR MURRAY!

A commercial traveler, who, by the way, is something of a politician as well, and can size up a situation about correct, has been all over the Fourth Congressional District and he writes this interesting letter to the Marion Falcon:

GLASGOW JUNCTION, July 28, 1894.—EDITOR FALCON:—"As to the Hon. D. R. Murray gaining ground daily is a fact indisputable. Certainly he is a forcible speaker and a man full of magnetism drawing close to him friends who will adhere to him strongly all through life. As a matter of course Mr. Montgomery's friends think it is a great sin and a piece of stupendous impudence on the part of Mr. Murray ever thinking of opposing a man who is a banker, out of debt, and has the money to throw away; besides, his son is the cashier of the bank and can throw away money at will; but the battle is not always to the strong, but often the true win.

Mr. Montgomery has fallen far below par and his stock is begging buyers or sellers. Having disappointed the people of his district, his heretofore warmest supporters declare a change is inevitable and must come. His excuse for not discharging his duties is flimsy, as he says people should not blame him for what Congress or Senate will not do, is a song sung so often that now there is no time for it, the fact is the result is all the same.

At Lebanon Junction every man I conversed with was a Murray man, and Bullitt county would go for him; same opinion at Colesburg.

At Elizabethtown I was surprised not to find every man a Montgomery man. The excitement is not so high, and as far as I could ascertain no one could get a bet over \$50 on Mr. Montgomery. Votes were counted and on the street running down from the courthouse to the depot 45 were for Murray and 25 for Montgomery. The probabilities are that Elizabethtown will go for Montgomery by a very small majority, if at all. Hodgenville, Rowlett and Sonora are for Murray. At Upton the county line between Hardin and Larnie runs through the town and a quarter of a mile below Hart comes in. Here Mr. Murray will speak in a few days and draw a large concourse of people from each county.

At Uncle Alex's old home, where he was raised, recently he visited there, got a negro band for an escort and spoke to a small crowd, but so loud and constant were the yells for Murray that Mr. Montgomery was not permitted to speak over fifteen minutes. He being on the Ways and Means Committee and a committeeman on free trade, matters are becoming so serious, notwithstanding his presence is absolutely needed at Washington, he is now at home to attend to personal matters. He has no easy horse to ride if he is a good rider. Murray may be a little behind but will reach there in the long stretch. As far as can be learned, and the people continue in the same mind as they are now in, the following counties may be safely conceded to Murray, Bullitt, Nelson, Grayson, Breckinridge, Ohio, Marion, Taylor, Washington, and, perhaps, Larnie; leaving Montgomery with a small majority in Hardin, Hart and Meade; Green it is thought, will go for Murray. Should Mr. Murray get the eight counties it will certainly send him to Congress. He is a fine organizer and has the best of lieutenants. He is true and courageous, a perfect gentleman and honest, and should he be defeated this time (which he will not be), he will have made a host of friends that will call him out again.

The people did not seem to know that Mr. Montgomery drew large money for absent days when he was in the Senate of Kentucky or in Congress and put it in his coffers, and that neither Montgomery or Ben Johnson are the dictators for the district. I will now close by giving three cheers for D. R. Murray.

ANNEX.

The success of Mrs. Annie M. Bean, of McKeesport, Pennsylvania, in the treatment of diarrhoea in her children will undoubtedly be of interest to many mothers. She says: "I spent several weeks in Johnstown, Pa., after the great flood, on account of my husband being employed there. We had several children with it, two of them took the diarrhoea very badly. I got some of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy from Rev. Mr. Chapman. It cured both of them. I knew of several other cases where it was equally successful. I think it cannot be excelled and cheerfully recommend it." 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by A. R. Fisher, Cloverport, Ky., and Kincheloe, Meador & Co., Hardinsburg, Ky.

Notice.
The Breckenridge County Teacher's Institute, will be held in Hardinsburg, Ky., beginning August 30, 1894 and continuing five days. The law requires all teachers, and those who expect to teach, during this school year, to attend the full term. Trustees are required to notify all teachers, and those who expect to teach, of the time and place of meeting.
ANNEX DANKS, Supt.

RATHER MIXED.

How a Country Telegraph Operator Got Tangled in a Big Office.

"Occasionally a funny mistake occurs with telegrams," said Charlie Secret, of Denver, a telegraph operator, at the Southern. "It is not very difficult to avoid them, and it does not happen often, but sometimes a dispatch will get bulled by getting mixed up with another. A country operator went on as an extra to take the associated press report. He had boasted of his experience and ability until it was supposed that he was way up as an operator. His first night was a heavy one, and the wires were rushed. He got rattled, and two dispatches, one of a shipwreck and the other of a noted wedding read: 'One of the largest and most fashionable assemblages ever gathered in this city awaited the coming of the bride. The first seen of her was as she moved to off Sandy Hook, floating the signal of distress. As she came up the aisle with her stork already gone and drifting helplessly, the great organ pealed forth the strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march, the cannon boomed and the helpless people wrung their hands while strong men wept as she approached her doom. She was accompanied by twelve bridesmaids, and the frightened crew, seeing no hope if they stayed with her, dropped into the sea and battled with the waves. The impressive air of Lohengrin was played as she struck upon the chancel, beautifully decorated with rare exotics, and went down amid the shrieks of the dying. The bodies will probably be washed ashore with tomorrow's tide, and the people dispersed, delighted with the completeness of detail, the beauty and artistic conception which marked every feature of the happy event.'—St. Louis Republic.

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LONG BRANCH.

Hugh Phillips, of Owensboro, is visiting at this place.

The trustees of this place want to engage a good teacher.

Mr. M. A. Myers, of Louisville, spent Sunday at this place.

Charlton and David Ditto visited in Cloverport last week.

J. M. Phillips, of Chicago, is visiting relatives at this place.

Miss Daisy Richards, of Warsaw, is visiting Miss Nellie McGhee.

Mr. Andrew Carrico, of near Garrett, visited at this place last week.

Miss Nellie Foushee, of Newton, Kans. is visiting Miss Ella Hendrick.

Mr. G. W. Brown, of Irvington, spent Sunday with Miss Mattie McGhee.

Stuart Young and a friend, of Louisville, spent Sunday at Mr. W. M. Ditto's.

Miss Nellie McGhee, who has been visiting in Cincinnati, returned home Monday night.

Miss Ella Hendrick spent several days last week with her aunt, Mrs. Joe Hendrick, near Guston.

Mr. J. H. Sullivan, of Louisville, spent Sunday with his family, who are visiting Mrs. W. L. Dooley.

Measles Jeremiah Cherry and Tom Tear, of Brandenburg, spent Wednesday with Mrs. A. J. Bickertstaff.

Mr. Kertey Black, who has been visiting his grand-mother, Mrs. Agnes Ricketts and a particular friend has returned to his home in Louisville.

Miss Peggy Ditto, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Rees, near Columbus, Ohio, is expected home this week. Her sister, Mrs. Rees, will accompany her home to spend the month of August.

Mr. J. C. Boswell, one of the best known and most respected citizens of Brownwood, Texas, suffered with diarrhoea for a long time and tried many different remedies without benefit, until Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy was used; that relieved him at once. For sale by A. R. Fisher, Cloverport, Ky., and Kincheloe, Meador & Co., Hardinsburg, Ky.

AXTEL.

Robt. Frazee, of Falls of Rough, visited friends at Axtel last Sunday.

From what I can learn and hear it is "Hurrah for Murray!" in this section.

Mrs. Ben Hinton and daughter, Mittie, visited relatives in the Forks of Rough last Sunday.

Mr. Robt. Rhodes, of McDaniel's, was up about Kirk last Sunday visiting friends.

Mr. Chess Rhodes was the guest of his aunt, Mrs. Nancy Alva, of Glendean, last Sunday.

Mr. Charles Bennett and wife were the guests of Mr. W. R. Lewis at the Falls of Rough, last Sunday.

Mr. James C. Mattingly and his sister, Miss Mary, of Axtel, and Miss Laura Rhodes, of Irvington, were the guests of Mr. W. T. Carman last Sunday.

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WATCH THEM.

Ben Johnson's Men Are Out in the District Working for Montgomery.

While Republicans Are Running the Louisville Revenue Collector's Office

DEMOCRATS ARE IGNORED.

SHEPHERDSVILLE, Ky., July 28, '94.—EDITOR OF THE NEWS:—Head us somebody! Goldarn our souls, we're comin' in spite of Montgomery's mint of money and Ben Johnson's army of Republican gangers. Bullitt is only a small pig-pen of a county, but things are getting hot here (on a small scale, of course), and David R. Murray, the gentleman from Cloverport, is a snakin' in the votes, both comin' and gwine. The press, generally speaking, would have the people of the district believe Montgomery has a "cinch" on the county of Bullitt, and—well, the autocrat from Elizabethtown did have a little showing here until his (yes, his) collector, Bennie Johnson, pushed aside 100 Democratic applicants for storekeepers and gangers and appointed in their stead some enemies of Democracy and violent flouters of the bloody shirt. Who is it that will stand up and swear these Republican appointments were made without Montgomery's knowledge and sanction? Alex has a "cinch" on Ben and what Alex says Ben does; so does Ben's storekeepers and gangers. The Democrats of this county wanted Mills for Speaker four years ago, but Alexander Benjamin Montgomery didn't need Mills in his business, and voted against the sentiment of his constituents for the party-disorganizer from Georgia.

This neck of the woods is for Murray, sure. We mean by the term—Bullitt is for Murray.

Nelson is for Murray.

Washington is for Murray.

Meade is for Murray, and—

HARDIN is for Murray!!!

Any gentleman of the Green River valley, excepting storekeepers and postmasters, who has in his make-up staidity enough to be gulled into voting for Montgomery, the man who "be-damed" Green River instead of daming it, the largest pair of stogy boots in the Fourth district ought to rise up in judgement against him and kick him into the yawning abyss of oblivion.

Watch Murray's majority in Bullitt. DEMOCRAT.

During the dog-day season, the drain of nervous and vital energy may be counteracted by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. In purifying the blood, it acts as a superb corrective and tonic, and enables the system to defy malarial and other climate influences.

The Meanest of Them.

A man may use a wart on the back of his neck for a collar button, ride on the back coach of a train to save the interest of his money until the conductor comes around, stop his watch at night to save the wear and tear, leave his 'i' and 't' without a dot or cross to save ink, pasture his mother's grave to save corn, but a man of this kind is a gentleman and scholar compared to a fellow who will take a newspaper two or three years and when asked to pay for it, put it in the office and have it marked "refused."—Bill Nye.

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